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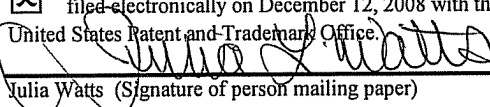
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**	JP 07-025578	January 27, 1995	Japan – Tootetsu:KK	yes
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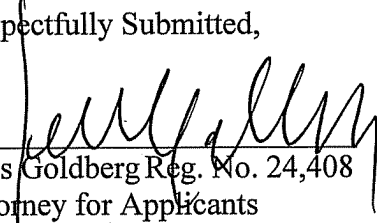
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